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SUBMISSION OF FORMAL REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEETS

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the eight (8) formal drawing sheets containing Figs. 1-11 filed on May 21, 2002, in the above-identified application with the seven (7) formal, replacement drawing sheets containing Figs. 1-7 filed herewith. The seven (7) formal, replacement drawing sheets are fully supported by the application as originally filed.

This application was originally filed with five (5) sheets of informal drawings containing Figs. 1-7. On May 21, 2002, Applicants filed eight (8) formal drawing sheets, which did not necessarily correspond to the originally-filed informal drawing sheets. The seven (7) formal, replacement drawing sheets filed herewith are fully supported by the originally-filed application and correspond thereto.

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If any of the seven (7) formal, replacement drawing sheets filed herewith are for any reason not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise Applicants' undersigned attorney immediately, so that Applicants may take appropriate corrective action.

If any fees are necessary for the submission of these formal drawings, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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